5-6, which both disclose all relevant features of Fig. 4, do *not* recite mutually exclusive characteristics. Fig. 6 (claims 10-11), in fact, discloses all relevant features of Fig. 5 (claims 8-9). As a consequence, Applicants believe all claims should be examined pursuant to PCT Rule 13.1.

## <u>Fees</u>

Applicants believe no fee presently is due. However, if Applicants' belief is mistaken, the Commissioner is authorized to debit Deposit Account No. 11-0855 for any additional fee due as a consequence of Applicants' submission of this paper.

## **Conclusion**

Applicants request examination of at least claims 1-9 and 12-13, reconsideration of the election requirement, and allowance of the application.

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